

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Juanita Dionne Stephens
ICHIRO SAITO ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2853
Application No.: 10/534,906	)	
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Filed: May 16, 2005	)	
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For: SUBSTRATE FOR INK JET HEAD,	)	
INK JET HEAD UTILIZING THE	:	
SAME AND PRODUCING METHOD	)	
THEREFOR	:	May 29, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2007, imposing a restriction requirement in the above-identified case.

The Examiner has required election of a single disclosed invention for prosecution on the merits in this case. The Examiner alleged the existence of two patentably distinct inventions:

- I. Claims 1-14, drawn to “A substrate” and “An inkjet head”, classified in class 347, subclass 64; and

II. Claims 15, drawn to “A producing method for an inkjet head”,  
classified in class 29, subclass 890.1.

Accordingly, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-14, drawn to “A  
substrate” and “An inkjet head”, classified in class 347, subclass 64.

Applicants’ undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by  
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Respectfully submitted,

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